

ARRAIGNS DE LOME FOR HIS SAYINGS

SENATOR LODGE CRITICISES
SPANISH MINISTER.

His Interview Published in the Newspapers Considered a Breach of Diplomatic Good Taste—Anti-Option Bill to Be Reported Adversely—Washington News.

Washington, March 11.—As soon as the journal had been read in the senate Tuesday Senator Lodge rose to a question of personal privilege. He said he had read Sunday an interview attributed to Senor Dupuy de Lome, of Spain. In it the minister called in question the accuracy of the statement made by him (Lodge). The senator sent to the desk and had read the minister's reference to Mr. Lodge's utterances calling in question the translation of a statement attributed to General Weyler in which the latter declared that he would "exterminate" the insurgents. The senator said he did not wonder at the extreme sensitiveness of the Spanish people, but he did not think this offered any excuse for the Spanish minister in adopting the course he had. It was pretty well established that the debates in the senate and house were purely domestic matters, and it was not proper for a representative of a foreign country to communicate except through the state department. If an American minister in Europe discussed the political affairs there he would be sent home.

Senator Gray said the course of the United States should proceed according to the judgment of a self-respecting nation, unmoved by the emutes at Valencia or Madrid, and without being turned aside to discuss a question of translation between a senator and a minister. There should be some concession to the stress of the situation. This was a most vital time for Spain and for the Spanish minister.

Senator Teller said the rule was unvarying against a communication by a foreign minister except through the state department. There should be no comment by a foreign minister. He should not be heard at all, except in the regular channels. Twice had foreign ministers been sent home for statements of less importance than this. Senator Teller then turned to the conditions in Spain. He did not think the outbreak of students should give offense. The Spanish authorities were doing all in their power to stop the trouble. There was no probability that Spain would dissent in an offensive way to the passage of the pending resolutions. Spain knew we had a right to recognize the belligerents. Spain would naturally show some feeling, but she would not go to war. In conclusion Mr. Teller vigorously repeated that if the Spanish minister repeated this public utterance the senator would favor giving him his "walking papers." The American people would not tolerate any dictation or criticism from foreign representatives accredited here.

Mr. Chandler expressed the opinion that there was entirely too much attempt at outside interference or advice.

Mr. Hale then took the floor. He expressed satisfaction that he had been able to obtain from an official source a temperate reply to the inflammatory utterances against Spain, which were without any official foundation whatever. He commended the careful tone of the Spanish minister, who, he said, had observed all of the courtesies of the human language. Mr. Hale referred to the message sent by the prince of Wales to the American people through the New York World. Royalty, he thought, had not abated its dignity by that act. It was simply a recognition of the now universally acknowledged fact that all public men went to the newspapers, magazines and reviews to write themselves down in matters of great public moment. Until the Spanish minister, he concluded, by false criticism overstepped the bounds of propriety he did not think he should be subjected to censure or reproach.

During the debate Mr. Hoar urged that no facts on the Cuban question had been presented to the senate. The letters transmitted by the president had never been read in the senate.

"How could you get information from the inaccessible quarters of Cuba?" asked Mr. Morgan.

"Will we act without information because we cannot get information?" questioned Mr. Hoar.

The incident was hardly closed when the subject came up in another form. Mr. Hoar had asked that his resolution postponing the entire Cuban subject until April 6 go over until to-day. This aroused Mr. Sherman to an energetic and feeling protest. He declared that Mr. Hoar's resolution was a reflection on the committee on foreign relations and was an effort to shelve the Cuban resolutions after weeks of discussion and overwhelming votes in both houses. Mr. Sherman finally withdrew his objection and Mr. Hoar's resolution went over until to-day, but not before Mr. Hoar had made a brief but telling speech against what he termed the meddling policy of congress in foreign questions.

ON RECIPROCITY.

Sub-Committee of the House Seeks Advice on the Subject.

Washington, March 11.—The sub-committee of the committee of ways and means, having under consideration several bills relating to reciprocity and

commercial treaties, will have a series of public hearings at the capitol in Washington commencing Monday March 16, and closing Saturday, March 21, to which all persons interested in those subjects are invited to appear. The committee desires practical information concerning the operations of the reciprocity treaties that were negotiated by the last administration, and the effect of their repeal; also concerning the obstacles in the tariff or customs regulations of foreign countries tending to retard the extension of our export trade. The inquiry will be confined to those two points. Persons desiring to appear before the committee will address the Hon. A. J. Hopkins, chairman.

SUBSIDIES RULED OUT.

Appropriations for Special Mail Facilities Killed by the House.

Washington, March 11.—The house Tuesday witnessed the perennial attempt to cut off the appropriation for special mail facilities between Boston, via New York and Washington, to Atlanta and New Orleans. This appropriation has been carried in the post-office bill since 1873. This year it amounted to \$196,000, and coupled with it were appropriations for special facilities between Kansas City and Newton, Kas., and Chicago and Council Bluffs, Iowa. The latter items went down before points of order. Mr. Miller (rep., Kas.) appealed from the decision of the chair, but the chair was sustained, 110 to 25.

The appropriation for car fare and bicycle allowance was increased from \$100,000 to \$170,000.

Death Blow to Anti-Option.

Washington, March 11.—A subcommittee of the house committee on agriculture has decided to recommend to the full committee that the anti-option bill be reported adversely. The full committee will pass upon it to-morrow.

WESTMAN RE-ELECTED.

Swedish-American League Chooses Its Officers for the Year.

Rockford, Ill., March 11.—The delegates to the Swedish-American Republican League convention rushed through the routine business Tuesday and devoted the afternoon to having a good time with the numerous politicians of state reput who are here to entertain them. The convention met at 10 o'clock and proceeded to the election of the following officers: President—Edward C. Westman, Chicago; vice-president, Charles Dahlgren, Bureau county; secretary, Will S. Hussander, Chicago; treasurer, A. L. Anderson, Cambridge.

The committee on resolutions, comprising seven members, held a long session at night and again in the morning. While all seven were pronounced McKinley men, by a vote of 5 to 2 they decided it would be unwise to endorse any candidate, either for national or state office.

The resolutions reaffirm devotion and loyalty to republican principles; declare for the principle of protection to American labor, and urge upon Swedish-Americans everywhere the duty of taking an active interest in our political life. The resolution on Cuba is as follows:

"Resolved, That we extend the hand of honest sympathy to the struggling patriots of Cuba and that we commend heartily the action taken by congress on this question. 'The land of the free and the home of the brave,' cannot view with dispassionate interest the effort of a yoke-ridden people of the western continent to obtain national sovereignty."

It was decided to hold the next convention in Chicago, limiting the time to one day.

The banquet at the Nelson hotel in the evening was a fitting and jolly close to the convention of the league. Nearly 200 members of the organization sat at the decorated tables, and listened to speeches from well known politicians.

Five Persons Injured.

Chicago, March 11.—The collapse of the rear portion of a two-story frame factory building at Nos. 843-845 Allport street yesterday afternoon resulted in seriously injuring five people. Nearly one hundred others had narrow escapes, and some received slight bruises. The injured are:

JOSEPH FREEK, 22 years old, left leg broken at the knee and right leg badly crushed.

JOSEPH HOMOLKA, 22 years old, right leg broken above the knee, deep cut right side.

JOHN KREJCI, 13 years old, right arm broken and cut on the head.

LOTTIE KAZCE, 12 years old, hip injured and left arm cut.

LOUIS SCHRINI, 15 years old, head cut and right arm crushed.

Uniformity Compact Extended.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 11.—At a meeting of railroad coal operators here Tuesday the time limit for signing the uniformity agreement was extended to March 31. About 90 per cent of the tonnage of the district has already signed. The differential between the eastern and western shipments of Pittsburg operators was also brought up, and settled without controversy. It was decided to allow it to remain at 9 cents. The question of a differential between the Monongahela, Youghiogheny, and thin vein regions was not taken up.

If you believe in patronizing the people that patronize you, ask for the Industrial Cigar Co. fine cigars.

SPAIN SAYS THIS IS CIVILIZED WARFARE

WORK OF SPANISH TROOPS IN
IN CUBA.

Aged Non-Combatant, His Daughter and Infant Son, Brutally Murdered By a Detachment of Soldiers—Story Brought By a Refugee—What Official Reports Say.

Havana, Cuba, March 9, via Tampa, Fla., March 11.—Refugees from the country are bringing in stories of outrages and cruelty by Spanish troops. One of the worst is as follows: Don Pedro Rubio was the owner of the Gato sugar estate, near the town of Catalina, in Havana province. On the estate he lived with his daughter, Amelia, a charming girl of 16 years, an infant son 2 years old, five servants and his plantation employes.

During the recent skirmishing of Maceo's command in the neighborhood of Catalina the insurgent chief had encamped on the Gato estate. Hearing of a strong Spanish column under Colonel Hernandez, however, he left Senor Rubio's land and went forward. Colonel Hernandez's vanguard came up before Maceo's column was completely under way, and some skirmishing followed with the insurgent rear guard.

Colonel Hernandez lost several men during this firing, and some of his troops became enraged after Maceo had marched away. Part of his command finally broke up into squads and began scouring the neighborhood. One such party advanced toward Senor Rubio's house, firing upon it as they moved forward. The terrified inmates ran from place to place inside the house, seeking protection from the rifle fire behind portions of the house where the walls were thickest. Don Pedro Rubio, believing the troops must be attacking his home, supposing it to be held by rebels, stepped out boldly upon his porch, carrying in his arms his little boy. He took off his white straw hat, moved it toward the advancing line of troops and shouted to them: "Stop firing. We are peaceful citizens, the inmates of the house and none other. Do not fire again."

He had hardly spoken when the Mansur rifles came to a level again and another volley of bullets crashed against the front of the house. The troops were now firing at short range.

When the smoke cleared away, Don Pedro Rubio lay dead on his own threshold, and across his body lay his child, pierced through the thigh by a rifle ball. The troops still kept advancing in a sort of skirmish line and now they charged upon the house with fixed bayonets, as though about to take a fortress by assault.

Amelia, seeing her father and brother fall pierced through and through, had given one shriek of agony and then desperately flung herself against the threshold and entered the parlor. "Butchers," the girl cried, "you have killed my father." The soldier lifted his rifle, with its sword bayonet, and thrust the knife-edged point clear through the girl's arm as she held it up instinctively to protect herself. In the same moment he pulled the trigger and a rifle ball passed through the young girl's breast. The five employes were killed after much the same fashion.

Amelia Rubio lived until the next day, when a surgeon from Jaruco amputated her arm, but the girl died later in the day. The little boy, the sole survivor, may recover from his wound. In official reports their deaths were included as among the rebel losses.

Kansas Is for McKinley.

Wichita, Kas., March 11.—The republicans of Kansas, in their state convention Tuesday, were a unit in their endorsement of McKinley for president. They went wild when the resolution was adopted instructing the delegates-at-large to work for him. The other idol of the hour was Cy Leland. He was re-elected by acclamation as the Kansas member of the national committee, and was also elected without opposition as delegate-at-large to the national convention at St. Louis. The money question was entirely ignored in the resolutions.

Slashed Her Husband's Throat.

Decatur, Mich., March 11.—Some time ago the wife of John Keifer, living a few miles south of here, left home for some unexpected cause. Monday night she returned home, and, after affectionately greeting her husband, the couple retired. During the night Mrs. Keifer arose, and, procuring a large butcher knife, returned to the side of the bed, where she commenced carressing her husband. Suddenly seizing him by the whiskers the woman drew the knife across his throat, inflicting injuries which are expected to prove fatal.

John M. Thayer Is Dying.

Lincoln, Neb., March 11.—Gen. John M. Thayer is dying at his home here, and his end is expected at any moment. He is about 70 years of age, and has received more honors than any other man in the state. He was one of the first United States senators elected from Nebraska, was governor of Wyoming territory one term, governor of Utah one term, governor of Nebraska two terms, from 1887 to 1891, and served almost one year of Governor Boyd's term, owing to the strife over Boyd's citizenship.

ITALY'S MINISTRY HAS TAKEN HOLD

PREMIER RUDINI FORMALLY
ASSUMES CONTROL.

General Ricotti Has the War Portfolio—New Functionaries Take the Oath of Office—Chamber Summoned to Meet On Monday—Some Other Current Events.

Rome, March 11.—The new cabinet, as finally decided upon, is as follows: Premier and Minister of the Interior—The Marquis Di Rudini. Minister for War—Gen. Ricotti. Minister of Marine—Admiral Brin. Minister for Foreign Affairs—The Duke of Sermoneta. Minister of Justice—Senator Costa. Minister of Finance—Sig. Banca. Minister of the Treasury—Sig. Colombo.

Minister of Public Works—Sig. Perazzi.

Minister of Education—Sig. Gianturco.

Minister of Agriculture—Sig. Guidicini.

Minister of Posts and Telegraphs—Sig. Carmine.

The new ministers took the oath of office Tuesday and the chambers were summoned to meet on Monday next.

EDITORS CONFER.

Illinois Press Association Begins Its Thirty-First Meeting.

Chicago, March 11.—The four days' annual meeting of the Illinois Press association convened yesterday at the Lexington hotel. This is the thirty-first meeting the association has held, and it was well attended in the afternoon, although at the morning session there were not many present. President Tufts announced that with the exception of the credential and entertainment committees he would defer the appointments until this morning. The remainder of the morning session was devoted to an informal discussion of the affairs of the association. Incidentally the libel law was brought up and discussed, the editors all expressing great satisfaction at its passage.

At 2:30 o'clock the afternoon meeting was called to order. President Tufts called for the report of the committee on credentials. It recommended the election of many new members. The report was accepted. President Tufts then read his address and among other things said each meeting cost \$10,000.

The Iowa Legislature.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 11.—The house by a vote of 57 to 23 Tuesday refused to recommend the pardon of Polk Wells, the outlaw, now confined in the penitentiary at Fort Madison on a life sentence for killing a guard while attempting to escape. An attempt to reconsider the vote by which the anti-cigarette bill passed failed.

The senate passed the Rowen bill requiring offenders under the age of 18 to be kept apart from older and hardened criminals and the committee substitute for the Berry-Allen bill, defining and regulating fraternal beneficiary associations, societies and orders. It differs materially from the bill on the same subject which has passed the house. The legislature adjourned until Thursday on account of the republican state convention being held to-day.

Floods in Austria and Germany.

London, March 11.—A Vienna dispatch to the Standard says there has been a heavy snowfall for three days in Austria, followed by a sudden thaw, which has caused disastrous results. There have been floods in the Alpine districts of the Tyrol and in Bohemia, with avalanches and landslides on the railways. It is feared that many lives have been lost.

The Standard also has a dispatch from Berlin which reports extensive floods in the west and south of Germany. The Rhine, Moselle, Saar, Maine and Neckar are all overflowed and have submerged a wide stretch of country, causing much damage. It is reported that several lives have been lost.

Rio Believed to Be Drifting.

San Francisco, March 11.—Another day has passed without bringing news of the overdue steamer Rio de Janeiro, which is now thirty-two days from San Francisco for Yokohama. The Pacific Mail people state that the steamer is, no doubt, drifting about the ocean with her machinery disabled, or that her coal supply has run short owing to heavy weather. In any event the officials say that she is sure to arrive in port all right.

Harrison for President.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 11.—The organization of the University of Indianapolis has been completed. Gen. Harrison has accepted a place on the advisory committee, and the promoters of the enterprise hope to persuade him to accept the presidency of the institution.

Ohio Coal Miners Quit Work.

Alliance, O., March 11.—The coal miners employed at the Hudson and Palmyria mines, ten miles north of here, quit work Tuesday. The men claim the screens in use at the mines are too wide. The mines employ 400 men.

EVERYBODY knows Primrose & West are ahead of the times.

BI-METALLISM AND PROTECTION

Columbus, Ohio, March 11.—[Special.]—The republican state platform, as adopted today declares for bi-metallism and protection.

IOWA IS FOR ALLISON.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 11.—[Special.]—The republican state convention today unanimously endorsed Mr. Allison for president.

BIG FAILURE IN CLOTHING.

Rochester, N. Y., March 11.—[Special.]—Rothschild, Baum & Stein, wholesale clothiers, failed today for \$500,000.

Funeral of G. L. Ottman.

The remains of George L. Ottman arrived in the city this noon from Chicago, and were taken to Oak Hill cemetery for interment, services being conducted by Rev. Sabin Halsey. The pall bearers were J. C. Fredendall, W. T. Vankirk, J. M. Bostwick and R. M. Bostwick.

REPUBLICANS OF IOWA.

Large Attendance and Lots of Enthusiasm at Des Moines.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 11.—When the republican state convention met today, this city had more enthusiasts in the cause of party success than have gathered here at any previous state convention. Single counties have sent as many as fifty representative men, so decided is the interest in the convention. The four delegates-at-large are practically agreed upon. Gov. Drake will not be one of the delegates. He refuses to interfere with other candidates to whom he conceded the field earlier in the canvass. No formal platform will be adopted. The resolutions will be in the form of an address to the republicans of the country.

Chairman H. G. McMillan, of the state central committee, introduced Congressman J. P. Dolliver as temporary chairman. The four men who will be elected as delegates-at-large are Senator Gear, J. S. Clarkson, Congressman D. B. Henderson and Congressman W. P. Hepburn, although others are talked of. Many are in favor of selecting the delegates-at-large by acclamation, as that will show the unanimity of the state convention regarding Senator Allison's candidacy. The disposition everywhere is to do whatever is best for Iowa's candidate without regard to personal or other interests or ambitions.

The address which will be presented to the convention for adoption recites the public services of Senator Allison at considerable length. Mr. Allison's known position in favor of sound money is set out and his policy of antagonism to gold or silver monometallism clearly crystallized into words. The address includes also a general resume of the principles of the republican party, and contains a paragraph relative to the foreign policy of the nation, favoring non-interference in foreign affairs, with the exception of the perfect defense of Americans abroad.

There will be no second-choice sentiment expressed in the convention. They refuse to even consider the question of a second choice, and whether specifically instructed or not the delegates to St. Louis will have instructions to stay by Mr. Allison whether he wins or not. In three counties of the state only were second-choice resolutions adopted favorable to McKinley.

The convention is held in Calvary tabernacle. It is called solely to select state and district delegates, and will finish its work in a day. Congressman Henderson will probably be the permanent chairman of the convention.

THE NATION'S CROPS.

Agricultural Department Issues Its Report.

Washington, March 11.—The agricultural department has issued the following crop report: "Returns from the township, county and state correspondents of the department indicate as the amount of corn yet held by farmers 49.8 per cent of the total crop, or 1,072,000,000 bushels. The proportion and total of farm reserves are both unprecedented. A year ago the stock so held was but 476,000,000 bushels. The amount to be sold outside the country is estimated at 21.9 per cent; last year's percentage having been 13.4. The merchantable proportion is 88.1 per cent, against 82.4 last year. The average value of merchantable corn is 25.6 cents, and of unmerchantable 15.4 cents. The wheat reserves in farmers' hands amount to 26.3 per cent of the crop, or 123,000,000 bushels. Of this amount 4.9 per cent is reported as coming over from 1894 or before. The proportion of wheat sold beyond county lines is 58.5 per cent. The tobacco crop of 1895 is found, after a special investigation, to have been 491,544,000 pounds, an average yield of 773 pounds per acre on 633,950 acres. Value of crop, \$35,574,000. The report on the cotton crop of 1895, based on railroad and steamship movement, with consumption and farm stocks, Feb. 1, will be made at noon March 16."

Mine Cage Falls 555 Feet.

Minonk, Ill., March 11.—Eight men narrowly escaped death yesterday morning in the Chicago and Minonk coal and tile works main shaft. The cage in which they were fell 555 feet, striking with such force as to break one man's leg. The others were badly bruised.

A GOOD THING—Push it along, the La. Pressa cigar.

If you have money to burn, smoke Lynettes cigar.

MEN ARE CRUSHED IN A BAD WRECK

HEAD END COLLISION ON THE
C. & N. W.

Freight and Special Come Together a Tigerton, a Small Station Near Kaukauna, and Two Engineers and a Fireman Are Hurt—Serious Fire at Shawano.

Kaukauna, Wis., March 11.—[Special.]—A head end collision occurred at Tigerton near here on the Chicago & Northwestern road. The injured: HENNESSY, DAN, engineer, dangerously hurt, probably fatally. ADAMS, G. G., fireman, seriously hurt.

HAYES, THOMAS, engineer, hurt in jumping. The collision was between a special and a freight.

Hennessey is likely to die and Adams injury is dangerous, while Hayes will recover. Several cars were smashed and the engines disabled. The blame has not been placed. Barnum Will Go To Prison.

Milwaukee, March 11.—[Special.]—Mark H. Barnum, editor of the Wausau Torch of Liberty, who was fined \$200 or six months in jail for printing the famous "Minnie Braddock letter," which cast reflection of Ella Maly, who was murdered by Rose Zoldock, will go to prison. He is in this city, and said his friends want to pay fine, but he refused, as he claims it would be an acknowledgment that he was wrong.

Fire at Shawano.

Shawano, March 11.—[Special.]—The residence and store of William Sommers was burned with all its contents last night. The loss is \$3,000 with no insurance.

Green Gets Nearly Four Years.

Eau Claire, Wis., March 11.—Judge Fish of Racine, sitting here in place of Judge Bailey of the Circuit court, on Tuesday sentenced Charles H. Green, ex-city treasurer of Eau Claire, to three years and nine months in the Waupun penitentiary. Green embezzled \$43,000 during two consecutive terms and was arrested May 1, 1895. He lost the money in bucket-shop speculation.

OHIO REPUBLICANS.

Senator-Elect Foraker Temporary Chairman of the Gathering.

Columbus, Ohio, March 11.—The republican state convention met here this afternoon. Senator-elect Foraker was named as temporary chairman by acclamation, and with equal unanimity John P. Borden, of Painesville, was elected secretary, and Howard Manning, of Mechanicsburg, sergeant-at-arms. On taking the chair the temporary chairman made a ringing speech presenting the name of William McKinley to the country as the choice of Ohio republicans for the presidency.

Yesterday was a day of caucuses. The Foraker and McKinley men compromised on almost everything. Of the four delegates-at-large to the national convention Foraker and Bushnell belong to one faction, while Hanna and Grosvenor belong to McKinley. In the evening it was decided that the national electors-at-large should be I. F. Mack of Sandusky and Albert Douglas, Jr., of Chillicothe. Mack is a Foraker follower and Douglas a McKinley man.

The subcommittee on resolutions completed its work and will report to the full committee previous to the assembling of the convention. The planks on the tariff and finance were adopted as written by McKinley, and express his views on protection and bimetalism. The currency resolution is the same as in the national platform of 1892. The resolution indorsing McKinley for president is as strong as it could be made.

The embarrassment on certain temperance state legislation was covered in a general indorsement of the present legislature, which defeated radical measures and increased the liquor tax. There is nothing especially new in the declaration, but the preamble is a caustic indictment of President Cleveland's administration.

Great Britain May Mediate.

Madrid, March 11.—The Correspondencia announces that it is reported in political circles there that Great Britain is trying to mediate between Spain and the United States for the settlement of the Cuban question on the basis of the recognition of the sovereign rights of Spain over Cuba, which would be granted an autonomous administration, the customs receipts, however, being devoted to the payment of the Cuban debt.

Indiana Liquor League Meets.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 11.—The executive committee of the State Liquor league is holding a meeting here for the purpose of deciding upon a campaign to be conducted against the Nicholson temperance law and the marcher in which pledges shall be secured from nominees for the legislature to repeal that measure.

Cecil Rhodes Not Yet Arrested.

London, March 11.—The secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, in the house of commons, replying to a question as to whether Cecil Rhodes, the former premier of Cape Colony, had been arrested, denied that such was the case.

CHANGE ROAD LAWS IF THEY ARE BAD

CORRESPONDENT WANTS GOOD
HIGHWAYS.

The Discussion At the Institute Was
An Interesting One—Milton Junction
Liquor Case Fight Aired In
Court—Other News of Rock
County.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—In common with
a large number of others the writer
was very much interested in the road
discussion at the institute last week,
and we regret very much that the
time was so limited for that subject.
From the road history of Rock county
presented by the speaker it would
seem to us to be the height of folly to
follow in the old rut any longer, and
if the present law is faulty let us keep
trying until we get a better one and
not for a moment think of turning
back to one that has been in force for
sixty years and proven such a failure.

It is an old saying that "what i.
everybody's business is nobody's busi-
ness." Now to get the matter before
the people we would suggest that The
Gazette invite a committee of from
five to seven from different parts of
the county; men that are in full sym-
pathy in this road reform to meet at
some time in the near future in Janes-
ville and this committee to call a con-
vention to discuss the road question
and form a road league if it is thought
best. By doing so when the legisla-
ture meets next winter we would be in
shape to ask something upon this road
question intelligently. Let us hear
from others.

NEWS OF MILTON JUNCTION.

Assault and Battery Case Grows Out
of Liquor Prosecution.

Milton Junction, March 10.—Fred
McAdams, of this place, was arrested
at Milton for assault and battery on
Louis Miller, the day of the liquor
trial. He was fined one dollar and
costs amounting to about eighteen
dollars it is said. Mrs. Alfred Hen-
derson, of Edgerton, visited relatives
here Monday. Mrs. Daniel Riley
spent a couple of days at Edgerton
the past week. John Owen has re-
turned home from his eastern trip.
Miss Ella Stillman is spending a few
days in Lima. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert
Coon and son, of Janesville, visited
at Alanson Coon's Sunday. Mrs.
Varnum Price, of Wauwatosa, is
spending a week with her parents
here. John Randall is on the sick
list the last few days. Mr. Kinball,
of Kimball's Station, Penn., visited
his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kelly
Monday. Mrs. Merrifield, who re-
sides west of town, died Monday
morning from paralysis, the result of
the grip. She leaves a large family
of children to mourn her loss. The
funeral will be held Thursday from
the house, Rev. W. C. Whitford,
officiating. Undertaker Coon was
called to Milton Monday morning by
the death of Dr. Albert Clarke, father
of Dr. Ella Crandall. His wife
died about a month ago. The funeral
will be held Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. West Stockman are going
to housekeeping in rooms over Cal.
Hull's store. Mr. and Mrs. Sowle
and Miss Ethel spent
Saturday in Milwaukee.

Phil Jones was to go to Rock River,
Monday night, to whistle at a concert
or school exhibition. Mr. and Mrs.
Ezra Goodrich will attend the Balch-
Green wedding at Rock River Wednes-
day. Maes, Sunday school missionary,
spoke of the needs of his work as the
S. D. B. church Saturday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Coon of Wal-
worth, are visiting relatives in this
place this week. Mrs. Lorinda Clarke,
mother of Charles and M. J. Clarke,
of this place, died at Walworth,
Thursday. The funeral was held Sat-
urday. Besides the Clarke brothers,
Mr. and Mrs. Halston of this place at-
tended the funeral. Rev. Simon Bab-
cock of Walworth, and Will Babcock,
of Albion, called in town, Monday.
R. T. Bardick pleaded guilty to selling
liquor without a license and was fined
fifty dollars and costs at Milton, Tues-
day. Lewis Todd will work the Ham-
ilton Hill place, the coming year. El-
der Hull and wife will move into the
house with their daughter, Mrs. Jew-
ett. Miss Addie Crandall is in quite
poor health again. Mr. and Mrs. Bert
West of Minnesota, are visiting at Dr.
Tucker's.

SOCIAL AT EMERALD GROVE.

Attorney A. E. Matheson To Speak—Other
News and Notes.

Emerald Grove, March 10.—The so-
cial committee of the Christian En-
dears of the Congregational church,
have arranged for a lecture and social
on Friday evening, March 13. The
lecture will be given by Mr. Matheson.

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sion will be charged for either the lec-
ture or the light refreshments which
are to be served, but opportunity given
for all to give as they may desire.
James Norum and wife, of Cooksville,
called on us the other day. The
boys all congratulate him. Some forty
of the young people surprised Johnnie
Davis last Friday night. Judging
from the sleepy eyes in town the next
day, they had a very merry
time of far into the night.
Emerald Grove and vicinity sent an
extra large number to the midwinter
fair. Everybody was well pleased
with the exhibit, particularly those
who were awarded prizes. Gillies &
Jones still sell the Jefferson boot and
shoe. Keep your feet dry and warm
with them. Mrs. John A. McArthur
visited her parents in Whitewater last
week, returning on Saturday. Arthur
T. Barless is at home again after a
short stay in Chicago. W. D. Mc-
Gregor has his auction this week Fri-
day, prior to his moving to Janesville.

Indian Ford News.

Indian Ford, March 10.—Pat. Con-
nors of Janesville, is visiting his
sister, Mrs. C. Hallet for a short time.
Frank Radcliff and family Sundayed
with C. Hallet and family. Joseph
McCan attended the mid-winter fair in
Janesville one day. J. C. Hurd
shipped a car load of nice sheep to the
Chicago market last Monday. George
Lochner, we hear, took in the sights
in Janesville, Beloit and Rockton last
Saturday. We hear that Dave Al-
erson will occupy the house just vacated
by E. H. Brown. Mrs. T. Alverson
and Miss Ollie Alverson have been on
the sick list but are reported better.
The mumps and bad colds
rages at the Ford at this writing. Nel-
son Fredendall made a business trip
to Edgerton last Friday. Henry Cox
was seen on our streets Monday.

News of Fairfield.

Fairfield, March 10.—Mrs. John
Dykeman has returned from her Iowa
trip, accompanied by Mrs. J. Gregory
and children. Mrs. Charles Dykeman
recently visited relatives at Oregon,
Wis. Several from this vicinity at-
tended the mid-winter fair and farm-
ers' institute at Janesville, and report
it as being a complete success. Mrs.
Seaver and daughter, who have been
keeping house for A. Thompson, have
removed to Allen Grove. Mr. and Mrs.
C. H. Serl, of Delavan, spent Sunday
with Fairfield friends. Eugene Serl
is clerking in the Johnstown store.

HAYES BROTHERS MAKING PLANS

Janesville Contractors to Push Their Drain-
age Canal Work.

Hayes Bros. of this city, are now
making plans for the summer's work
on the great Chicago drainage canal.
As soon as the weather improves they
will begin operations and by the use
of recently purchased modern ma-
chinery they intend to accomplish
their part of the task this summer.
Besides one hundred head of horses
which they now have on hand, they
have recently added a large dirt con-
veyor which is a recent invention, be-
ing used for the purpose of carrying
the earth from the middle of the chan-
nel to the banks.

MILLER HAS NO FUTURE PLANS

The Popular Hotel Man Will Take a
Needed Rest.

Landlord E. D. Miller of the Hotel
Myers, will take a much needed and
well earned rest after the formal
transfer of that popular hotel to the
new proprietor. Mr. Miller took the
house when it was far from what it is
now and brought it to the head of the
list, a task that was not an easy one.
Now he proposes to take a vacation
before engaging in other business.
Since coming to Janesville Mr. Miller
has made a host of friends who will
wish him success in anything he un-
dertakes.

SEED TUBERS CHEAP AND PLENTY

Janesville Dealers Say There Is Not
Likely To Be a Famine This Year.

There is not likely to be a famine
in seed potatoes here the coming
season. A local dealer, who has been
in the business for years, says that
there was never a time when there
seemed to be so many on the market
as there is today. Farmers seem to
have plenty on hand and the prices
that will be asked this season will be
as low as has been recorded in this
section.

GOOD TEMPLARS PLAN A SOCIAL

It Will Be A Leap Year Affair—The
Committee in Charge.

The Independent Order of Good Tem-
plars have planned a box social to take
place in their hall Friday evening.
This time the young men will bring
well filled boxes and the young
ladies will bid upon them. Those
having the affair in charge are Mrs.
B. B. Rexford, Miss Lulu Jones, Miss
Hattie Ward, Edson Baker and George
Hanson.

GIVE A FAREWELL RECEPTION.

Congregationalists Will Entertain In
Honor of Rev. and Mrs. Wilder.

A farewell reception has been
planned by members of the Congrega-
tional church in honor of their depart-
ing pastor, Rev. S. P. Wilder and his
family. The event will take place in
the church parlors on Friday evening
between the hours of 7:30 and 10:00
o'clock. It will be a public event.

FRED TUCKER SELECTED IN CAUCUS

The Chicago Man Will Be Renomi-
nated As Assessor.

Fred J. Tucker, son-in-law of Capt.
and Mrs. W. T. Vankirk, who is now
the assessor of the town of Lake
View, Chicago was yesterday selected
as the republican caucus for renom-
ination.

WE SPEAK A PIECE JUST THIS ONCE

THE GAZETTE AND SOME OF
ITS CRITICS.

Two or Three of Them Would Have to
Double Their News Force If the
Gazette News Columns Were Not
Available—Cheap Papers Throwing
Mud.

Two alleged newspapers, whose re-
porters are much averse to hustling,
are tagging along at the heels of The
Gazette these days, and snarling like
a puppy who fears the loss of a long-
buried bone. They are the Beloit
News—so called because it gets all its
information from the Free Press, and
therefore knows it is news—and the
Janesville Recorder—so called because
it records everything that The Gazette
prints and therefore gets the maximum
of reliability with the minimum
of work. With these imitation news-
papers it is a pity to escape a day's
toil, consequently they are content to
copy all they can from the better pa-
pers, and denounce everything else as
a lie. This morning's issue of the Re-
corder is a characteristic one. In it is
found:

- (1.) The change of management at the Hotel
Myers, which The Gazette told about on Mon-
day.
- (2.) The "Ballone will case" story, printed in
The Gazette last week.
- (3.) The decision in the water suit, printed in
The Gazette last night.
- (4.) The G. A. R. camp fire story, printed in
The Gazette last night.
- (5.) An account of the injury sustained by
Fred Marshall, printed in The Gazette last
night.
- (6-7-8-9.) The deaths of Mrs. Herkimer, Mrs.
Brown and Messrs. Fockler and Ottman, printed
in The Gazette last night.
- (10.) An account of the meeting of the Con-
gregational council, printed in The Gazette last
night.
- (11.) The Hanson-Bunt wedding announced
in last night's Gazette.
- (12.) Eleven personals and brief items
printed in The Gazette last night.

The Recorder's List.

The Recorder this morning printed
the following items—original or copied
from papers other than The Ga-
zette:

- (1.) The meeting of the Bower City Bank
stockholders.
- (2.) The ten dollar fine at G. D. Charlton's
home.
- (3.) The social at the All Souls church.
- (4.) A Beloit minister's resignation.
- (5.) Death of Daniel Silverthorn. (Printed in
last night's Weekly Gazette.)
- (6.) Seven new personals and brief items.
New items—12.
- (7.) Copied from The Gazette—22.
- The Gazette yesterday printed:
Personals—Thirty-five.
Brief items—Twenty-two.
Double headings—Twenty.
Display headings—Five.
Obituaries—Five.
Total—Eighty-seven.

Some of the Denials.

Now as to denials.
A few days ago, the Recorder de-
nied a story in The Gazette saying
that the Janesville Machine company
would run their foundry nights. The
Gazette's authority was an officer of
the company and the story was cor-
rect.

It also denied a story concerning
F. M. Marzluff's remarks concerning
the water power, etc., while Mr.
Marzluff afterward told a Gazette man
that The Gazette's story was ab-
solutely true.

The Gazette humbly apologizes to
its readers for imposing upon their
good nature to this extent, but it has
been quiet for two years and may be
pardoned this one indulgence.

Keeping everlastingly at it brings
success. That's The Gazette's motto
on news-getting.

Steal what grapes you can and de-
clare the rest sour. That's the Re-
corder's motto.

In the meantime the people are the
judges. The Gazette is not afraid of
the result. It now takes seventeen
carrier boys and twenty-seven street
sale boys to deliver The Gazette to the
homes of its readers, while six could
do it a few years ago. And there is
a new fast press on the road that
The Gazette's growth has made neces-
sary.

"When you see is in The Gazette it
is new and true." Now is the time to
subscribe.

PRAISES THE MID-WINTER FAIR

The Clinton Herald Says It Was An En-
thusiastic Success

The Clinton Herald says: "A large
number of our people attended the in-
stitute and mid-winter fair held in
Janesville last Tuesday and Wednes-
day and report a fine time. There
were said to have been a larger num-
ber of entries for prizes than at the
county fair in the fall. There were
one hundred and fifty plates of bis-
cuits and other things in proportion."

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES' CASH

Money on Hand Will Probably Carry Them
Through the Winter.

The present financial condition of
the Associated Charities is more sat-
isfactory, and President Palmer thinks
that the amount on hand will carry
them through the winter. Of late a
number of good-hearted people have
given five and ten dollar bills for the
good of the cause, but preferred not to
have their names mentioned.

A \$10,000 TRANSFER IN REALTY

C. M. Tuttle Sells His Farm to John H.
Pearson.

Janesville and Rock county real es-
tate transfers as reported by Register
O. D. Rowe.
Charles M. Tuttle and wife to John H.
Pearson, sec. 15, pt. sw 4, sec. 11,
town of Union, county of Janesville, \$10,000.
Clara E. Miller to Freedom E. Bullard, pt.
sec. 26, sec. 27, Evansville, \$10,000.
Clinton Seidland and wife to Robert Teale,
sec. 26, sec. 19, town of Union, \$5,000.

PRIMO & W. at will be here about
the 20th inst.

LONG TICKETS AT A SHORT PRICE

Homeseeker Excursionists Get Plenty of
Pastebord For Little Money.

Janesville people who took advan-
tage of the "homeseekers rates" this
week carried "plenty of tickets" with
them. The tickets this year are com-
plex affairs. Ticket Seller Samuels,
of St. Paul road, sold tickets yester-
day that measured four feet and
two inches in length.

The home seekers' excursion rate
card on both the Northwestern and
St. Paul roads went into effect today,
and a large number of Janesville peo-
ple took advantage of it.

"The home seekers' tickets should
read 'pleasure seekers' instead," re-
marked a railroad official, "for the
average Janesville person who
takes advantage of these cheap rates
has little idea of seeking for a home."

JANESVILLE GIRL A FAVORITE.

Nashville Paper's Pleasant Paragraph
Regarding Miss Marion Wiggin.

Mrs. William C. Dake has as her
guest her sister, Miss Wiggin, of
Janesville, Wis. Miss Wiggin has
been the recipient of a good deal of
attention since her arrival. She was
the honoree of a luncheon given by
Mrs. Caldwell Thursday. Friday
evening Mrs. William C. Dake gave a
delightful card party in her honor.
Miss Marion Wiggin is a charming,
pleasant brunette and will be re-
membered with pleasure by the many
friends she made on her previous
visit here.—Nashville Sun.

KINGS DAUGHTER ARE LIBERAL

They Have Given the Y. M. C. A. \$100 in
Cash.

The Thoughtful Circle of the Kings
Daughters has presented the Y. M. C. A.
with \$30.00 as the proceeds of the
performance of the Mystic Midgits.
This makes \$100 given the association
by this society.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN.

Shoes and rubbers only at Brown
Bros. & Lincoln.

We sell carpet slippers for 35 cents.
Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

CHILD'S rubbers 23 cents only at
Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

We keep a shoe store, not a junk
shop. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

R. M. Bostwick's boys reinforced
suits have always been leaders.

It pays to keep posted on cur
prices. Lowell's Cash Store.

To cash buyers we invite you to
come in. Lowell's Cash Store.

SWEET, Orr & Co's. goods are
handled by Bostwick. They never
rip.

THE curious bicycle anti-carpenter
are already looking at the Relay. F. A.
Taylor.

GUARANTEED absolutely dust proof
are the bearings on the "Relay" bicy-
cles. F. A. Taylor.

R. M. BOSTWICK is going to sell you
a spring suit. His spring suits
are made finer than any tailor made
suit.

WE have put a price on new shoes,
both for ladies and gents that will
surprise you when you see the style
and quality. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

SAY, boy, what time does the 8
o'clock train leave? I dunno. 'Bout
sixty minutes past seven I believe.
Why don't you get a Rand & McNally
guide?

Forethought

It's a peculiar fact that the season's
purchases are made in the mind far in
advance of the actual deal. For in
February and March one thinks of
the apparel for the spring and nine
cases out of ten the mind is made up
on about the required material. It's
probably more so in shoes than in any
other article of wear. You have
either decided in your mind to buy or
not to buy by this time. However it
makes no difference. Our spring
goods are partly here and the balance
will be in shortly, and we think we
can help you to decide on footwear.
It's a pleasure to us to show late
styles, so come in. A. Richardson
Shoe Co.

Brothers Byrne.

These well known clever and popu-
lar pantomimists who stand at the
head of their profession will present
their laughable comedy, "Eight
Bells," at Myers Grand next Wednes-
day, March 18th. The Brothers
Byrne promise (and they always do as
they say) a revelation in the produc-
tion of this season. They have in readi-
ness some of the most startling and
thrilling tricks known to the stage
art. Their scenery is all new. The
last act of this production has been
rewritten and proves to be interesting
as well as one of the best scenic effects
ever witnessed.

Wanted

Old shoes are wanted by us to be
repaired. We have an A 1 cobbler.
Charges moderate. Brown Bros. &
Lincoln.

A Stitch in Time

Saves nine, says the old proverb. Mr. J.

F. Wassel, printer
Dwight, Ill., says:

"I neglected what
seemed a slight
ailment un-
til I became so
broken down
from rheumatism
that I had to give
up my work and
became an invalid.

I yielded to my
wife's proposition
to take Hood's Sa-
rsaparilla. I used 2

bottles, have entirely recovered strength
and enjoy life like a new man. My wife says

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Did it and insisted on my writing this."

Hood's Pills

cure habitual consti-
pation. 25c. per box.

we have ever shown. 200 doz-
en of entirely new things just
received from New York.

NEW SPRING GOODS

in every department; many

things not to be seen else-
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J. M. BOSTWICK
SAYS
THE BIG STORE
20, 22, 24, 26
S. MAIN ST.,
JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP.

Laces and Veilings

Trifles light as air, yet with
a price weight that makes
them heavy enough unless
you look before you buy. You
pay a smart price some places
for the same places for the
same laces you can get here
at a fair price. We don't ask
a fancy price for a veil simply
because it is fashionable or a
new mesh; a conscientious
dry goods profit is on all of
these goods; a fair price is all
we ask, no more. Our new
showings are marvels of beau-
ty. Matched sets in Valen-
ciennes, lovely things. The
new embroidered batiste in-
sertions in white, ecru and lin-
en. All over embroidered
batiste in linen color. Vals. in
linen shade. 50 pieces of
handsome laces at moderate
cost.



A new skirt to match your
old waists means nominally a
new dress so far as street wear
is concerned. It's a simple
way of settling the question
of what to wear 'till the new
spring gowns are ripe; take a
look at our skirts, see if they
meet your notion of a good
thing to piece out your ward-
robe.

Carpets

It is scarcely the thing to go
into rhapsodies over the beau-
ty of our new carpets. You
might call it silly to speak of
style in connection with com-
monplace floor coverings that
you tread under your foot.
Maybe you are right. We
will confine ourselves to their
goodness, their wearing quali-
ties, the variety and low price.
We leave style and beauty for
you to discover, and you'll do
it, you'll talk about them.

Underwear

With mercury on a sliding
scale, spring one day, mid-
winter another. one has to be
careful. Warm underwear
is indispensable. It is most
dangerous to take chances
now. We have a better as-
sortment now than most
stores had last fall. We can
give you anything you want in
underwear—light, medium or
heavy—with a price that saves
you money. It's a good in-
vestment to buy underwear
now for next winter at our
present prices.



A Large
Line of
The Best
Values in
Handker-
chiefs

PRETTY PATTERNS!

— FOR —
SPRING SUITS
AND OVERCOATS!

— MOST OF —
THE GOODS ARE IN

and next to love the
youngman's thoughts
turn to his dress for
the glad some spring
time.....

I AM MAKING SOME
VERY PRETTY CLOTHING

at present. Call in
and look over the
styles.....

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS.

We have just received a new
shipment of very choice
Groceries which we are
selling at very low prices.
We have a complete stock of
the best goods. Give us a call.

ROBERTS & RABA, 58 1/2 S. Main St.

INMAN AND BOLLARD

ALL KINDS OF
ARCHITECTURAL, CABINET
AND DECORATIVE
GRILL WORK WOOD WORK.

4 N. RIVER ST.

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

NEATH A CLOUD OF SORROW

Daniel O. Silverthorn.

Daniel O., youngest son of Daniel and Martha Silverthorn, died at his home at Oakley avenue, Chicago, at 3:10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, February 26, 1896. He was confined to his bed about ten days with typhoid pneumonia, yet the immediate cause of his death was heart failure.

Deceased was born July 2, 1870, and since he was fifteen years of age has been employed as an operator, the first office he held being for the railroad company. For the past five years he has been employed at the board of trade in Chicago, working one of the hardest w'rees. The greater part of the summer of 1895 he spent at his old home in Footville, until about August 18, when he again resumed work, and worked faithfully until sickness compelled him to give it up.

On Dec. 29, 1891, he was united in marriage to Miss Lole Lacey of Laceyville, Pa. In the spring of '93 himself and wife united with the Western Avenue Baptist church and ever since he has tried to live a true Christian life. They were both baptized at the same time and Rev. Dr. Perron remarked as he led them into the water that it was one of the most beautiful sights he had ever witnessed, this young couple just starting out in life, starting together to serve Jesus.

Dannie was never known to speak a harsh word to his brothers or sisters and never spoke unkindly to his father or mother. One characteristic of the deceased was the regard and thoughtfulness he had for the comfort of old people, and for those who were sick or in trouble, and the great love he had for his mother, and when she died he was nearly heart broken.

She was the first to go, dying January 21, 1893; the first to break that large family circle; and now Dannie, the youngest, and best beloved of all, has gone to join her in that beautiful home above, where they shall never again be separated. He was the youngest of eleven children, ten of whom survive, and five of whom were present at the funeral. Possessed of a gentle and loving nature and pleasing disposition, he made friends everywhere. His death was calm and peaceful; he straightened himself upon his bed, folded his tired hands across his breast and as a weary child sinks to sleep in a fond mother's arms, so he sweetly fell asleep in Jesus. His brother Will was with him at the time of his death, also his wife's brother, W. E. Lacy, of Pennsylvania. On Friday following his death, the friends, together with the remains arrived on the noon train and were met by the sorrow stricken friends who were almost heart broken at the death of their loved one. At one o'clock brief funeral services were held at the M. E. church, Elder Spencer of the Christian church officiating. His text was I Peter, 3, 4 and 5 verses. He spoke words of tender sympathy to the bereaved young wife and sorrowing friends. The floral tributes were most beautiful and showed in what esteem he was held among his associates and fellow workers. A beautiful piece representing a "broken column" from the operators at the "board of trade," where he had worked; a beautiful floral "pillow" from the Morse Cycling club, and a lovely "wreath of friendship" from the operators' E. X. or main office. This wreath stood on an easel and in its center at the top was mounted a pure white dove, with spreading wings—a "messenger of love" and fitting emblem of purity and innocence. A young wife is left to mourn the loss of an ever kind and affectionate husband, a sweet little child, little Hazel, whom he almost idolized, will never know the loving care that would have been her's had he lived, an aged father, three brothers and seven sisters, will never again look upon that dear face or pleasant voice which was so dear to them all, and many other relatives and friends will sadly miss "Dannie." The pall bearers were Robert Strang Orion Shaw, Will Brown and Arthur Buck. A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place in the "Grove" cemetery, where they were placed beside those of his departed mother—and low as he sweetly rests in his coffin, we would inscribe upon the casket a solemn and loving, "Amen."

A Lucky Chance For The Sick and Suffering.

We are aware that our people who suffer from nervous, chronic long standing complaints do not have the same opportunity to be cured as do the residents of the great cities where the most eminent physicians and specialists reside. In other words, our people are debarred from seeking a cure by the great and skilled physicians owing to the cost of travel to the large cities and the high fees charged by such physicians.

Here, therefore, is a chance for the sick of our community which should not be lost. Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th street, New York City, who has the largest practice in the world and who is without doubt the most successful specialist in curing all forms of nervous and chronic diseases, offers to give free consultation by mail to all sufferers whom their local physician has failed to cure. You have the privilege of consulting Dr. Greene by letter, describing your complaints, and he will after carefully considering your condition, send you a letter fully explaining all your symptoms, telling you everything about your complaints so plainly that you will understand exactly what ails you. He will also give you his advice based on his vast experience and wonderful success in treating such cases, as to just what to do to get cured. All this will cost you nothing and you can thus have consultation with the best known physician and acknowledged most successful specialist in the world without leaving home and without any expense whatever. The doctor is the discoverer of that greatest of all known medicines, Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and he has discovered many other valuable remedies. Write him now, for this is a chance to get cured which you may never have again.

School Report.

JANESVILLE, WIS., JAN. 1, 1896. OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE. TO THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE: The Board of Education herewith submits its monthly report of accounts audited and orders drawn for the month of December, 1895.

1895		
Dec. 1, Superintendent's salary.....	\$	150 00
" " Janitor's salary.....	"	300 00
Dec. 7, Teachers' monthly pay roll.....	"	2,383 33
" " Charles Schwartz, drayage.....	"	3 75
" " New Gas Light Co., gas bill.....	"	9 21
" " Janesville Machine Co., belt tightener.....	"	8 00
" " R. C. Yeomans, plumbing work.....	"	40
" " Ellsworth Green, stationery.....	"	17 50
" " Carter & Heston, Insurance.....	"	44 00
" " Herman Zimmerman, labor.....	"	50
" " F. H. Baldwin, labor.....	"	53 49
" " Fred Clemens, janitor hire paid by him.....	"	50
" " Hutchinson & Son, repairing windows.....	"	70
" " Donohue & Henneberry, supplies.....	"	21 00
" " Geo. Barriage, carpenter work.....	"	7 58
" " Kent Paint Co., painting.....	"	21 76
" " A. F. Hall & Co., repairs.....	"	4 00
" " Henry Schumacher, brooms.....	"	4 00
" " Prentice & Evenson, supplies.....	"	1 50
" " S. C. Burnham & Co., repairs.....	"	11 90
" " James Shearer, mason work.....	"	13 50
" " Skelly & Wilbur, su. piles.....	"	1 37
" " Geo. E. Tanberg, printing.....	"	3 00
" " W. H. Blair, lumber.....	"	118 34
" " J. Sutherland & Sons, supplies.....	"	46 63
" " Schaller & McKee, lumber.....	"	17 50
" " American Express Co., express.....	"	1 80
" " Wisconsin Telephone Co., use of telephone.....	"	30
" " Lowell Hardware Co., hardware.....	"	9 78
" " Hanson Furniture Co., furniture.....	"	550 00
" " Wm. Boos, sprinkling at Lincoln school.....	"	12 00
" " D. D. Mayne, postage and invitations to school.....	"	54 10
" " U. S. school fur. Co., furniture.....	"	847 10
" " W. A. Olmstead, school supplies.....	"	456 12
" " Thomas King, janitor hire.....	"	6 30
" " W. A. Holbrook, bal. architect services.....	"	568 10
" " Johnson Electric Service Co., heat regulating apparatus in New H. 1,080 00	"	
Dec. 19, Teachers' sent monthly pay roll 1,191 66	"	
Total.....	\$	5,417 13

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CUNNINGHAM,

Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE, JANESVILLE, WIS., FEB. 1, 1896.—TO THE HONORABLE, THE MAYOR AND COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF JANESVILLE: The Board of Education herewith submits its monthly report of accounts audited and orders drawn for the month of January, 1896.

1896		
January 1, Superintendent's salary.....	\$	150 00
" " Janitor's salary.....	"	300 00
" " Clerk's salary.....	"	62 50
January 4, J. W. Carpenter, fuel.....	"	18 26
" " Am. Express Co., express.....	"	25
" " New Gas Light Co., gas bill.....	"	9 21
" " E. J. Green, stationery.....	"	65
" " Dunn Bros, supplies.....	"	55
" " W. H. Blair, lumber.....	"	2 54
" " James Shearer, mason work.....	"	6 75
" " J. A. Hagan, slating black boards.....	"	4 93
" " A. H. Sheldon & Co., supplies.....	"	19 07
" " Howell Hardware Co., supplies.....	"	19 41
" " Filfield Bros, supplies.....	"	8 33
" " W. G. Palmer, supplies.....	"	1 10
" " McVicar Bros, plumbing.....	"	45 00
" " King & Skelly, supplies.....	"	58 24
" " John Cummings, supplies.....	"	2 00
" " Henry Kay, labor.....	"	6 00
" " Green & Allen, plumbing.....	"	6 32
" " Thomas King, salary.....	"	30 00
Total.....	\$	784 72

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CUNNINGHAM,

Clerk.

THE MEETINGS SET FOR TONIGHT

JANESVILLE Chapter, O. E. S.
WISCONSIN Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.

ROBERT EMMET council national alliance.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

WAIT for Primrose & West: they are coming to stay.

ASK for "Lyonettes" and you get the best 5 cent cigar on the market.

WE have broken the record of all previous attempts, by placing the Lyonettes on the market for five cents.

SOME people find it easiest to do things in a difficult way, but the people of Janesville find it easiest to save money by buying things at Lowell's Cash Store.

IF you want to see the latest in foot wear go to the shoe house of Brown Bros. & Lincoln. They have all the latest styles from the best factories in the country.

New Japanese Silks.

WE have 50 pieces of those soft luster silks for waists such as the Japs alone are capable of producing. They are in plaids, stripes and checks, plain and corded, the prices are within the reach of all persons 35, 40 and 50 cents a yard. These goods are the pure wear well kind. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A SOCIETY SMOKE, the "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

Cheaney Bros' Silks.

WE have twenty-five pieces of the celebrated Cheaney Bros' silks. They are the fancy Persian and printed warp effects, striped and plaid, changeable effects in black and colored grounds. Prices only 75 cents and \$1.25 a yard. Bort, Bailey & Co.

DON'T invite disappointment by experimenting. Depend upon One Minute Cough Cure and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. D. Stevens.

Taffeta Silks.

WE have ten pieces of all black figured Taffeta silks. All new beautiful patterns 54 inches wide. These silks usually sell at \$1.25 a yard, our price only 85 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A high liver with a torpid liver will not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers, little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipation. C. D. Stevens.

Half Rate Excursion To Milwaukee.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. will sell excursion tickets to Milwaukee and return at half fare on March 17th and 18th, good for return until and including March 20, on account of the republican state convention.

MANY THOUSANDS

Vitally Interested in the New Discovery.

Whereby Nine-Tenths of the American People Will Be Benefited.

A Brief Account of It.

A man or woman with perfect digestion, the result of a healthy stomach, has no need of a nerve tonic to bring sleep, nor sarsaparilla to purify their blood, nor cod liver oil and pre-digested foods to make them fat. Why? Because a sound stomach perfectly digests the food, making pure, rich blood, steady nerves, sound sleep and all the healthy flesh a person needs to carry. Dr. Bostwick recently stated that anyone out of health, nervous, sleepless, run down in flesh, with poor appetite, not knowing just what was the matter of them, should look to their digestion, to the stomach, and there would find the secret of the whole trouble. He says nine out of ten will have no nervous troubles, no impure blood, no weakness anywhere when the digestive organs do their work properly. To cure indigestion and dyspepsia he never advises "sarsaparilla," "stomach bitters," "pre-digested food" or any other secret patent medicine. He says the best thing, the safest and surest cure is Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, because they are composed of vegetable essences, fruit salts, pure pepsin and bismuth and will cure dyspepsia in every case if taken persistently and regularly. Some of the cures made by Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are little short of miraculous.

Mrs. Charlotte Lane, of Ransomville, N. Y., writes: "I have taken only one 50-cent package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and am almost astonished at results, they have benefited me so greatly. I have always understood that dyspepsia was incurable, but now know it can be cured, for I am fully satisfied with what they have done for me. I can eat and enjoy my meals a great deal better and feel better in every way and have only used one package."

Mrs. Samuel Kepple, of Girty, Pa., writes: "I have been entirely relieved of my stomach troubles by your Tablets. I suffered three years with sour stomach and gas at night. I am thankful for them."

Mrs. A. E. Bowen, of Barnard, Vt., writes: "I think Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the best thing for dyspepsia I ever took. I will recommend them to anyone troubled as bad as I was."

Although a new remedy, yet its remarkable success in all kinds of stomach troubles has practically settled the question that it is the best and safest remedy that can be used for weak or disordered digestion.

It is prepared by the Stuart Chemical Co., Marshall, Mich., and for sale by druggists everywhere at 50 cts. per package, thus placing it within the reach of everyone wishing to give a remedy so highly commended a fair trial.



"Knocks Out All Others."

Battle Ax PLUG

The Large Piece and High Grade of "Battle Ax" has injured the sale of other brands of higher prices and smaller pieces. Don't allow the dealer to impose on you by saying they are "just as good" as "Battle Ax," for he is anxious to work off his unsalable stock.

"DIRT DEFIES THE KING." THEN

SAPOLIO

IS GREATER THAN ROYALTY ITSELF.



Then this will interest you. Send 24 cents and receive in return, post-paid, six spools of Willimantic Spool Cotton, any number or color, together with four bobbins for your machine, ready wound, and an instructive book on thread and sewing. Free.

Willimantic Star Thread

is used and endorsed by all leading sewing machine manufacturers. Ask your dealer for it.

WILLIMANTIC THREAD CO., Willimantic, Conn.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS. The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILLS ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by Prentice & Evenson, Janesville.

Sexine Pills RESTORE LOST VIGOR. When in doubt what to use for Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power (in either sex), Impotency, Atrophy, Varicocele and other weaknesses, from any cause, use Sexine Pills. Brains checked and full vigor quickly restored. If neglected, such troubles result fatally. Mailed anywhere, sealed, for \$2.00; 6 boxes for \$5.00. With every box we give a legal guarantee to cure or refund the money. Address: PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by Prentice & Evenson, druggists, Janesville



Rev. H. Jansen

These remedies are prepared with permission from the original receipts of Rev. H. Jansen. If your druggist does not keep them, go to Geo. E. King & Co.; they keep a full stock. When ordering by mail mention The Gazette.

REV. FATHER H. JANSEN'S CURATIVE BLOOD PURIFYING TEA. An excellent remedy for Sick Headache, Skin Diseases, Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. 25 cents per package; 5 for \$1.00. Sent prepaid on receipt of price.

Curative Cough Syrup For Colds, Coughs, Throat and Lung troubles. 25c and 50c bottles.

Rheumatic Liniment For Rheumatism, Sprains, Bruises, Neuralgia, Lame Back, etc. 25c and 50c bottles.

Curative Plaster For old Running Sores, Open Limbs, Boils, etc. 25c per box.

Prepared by **H. H. HACKENDAHL,** Milwaukee, Wis.

THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton	6:35 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:35 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	8:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:00 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	10:20 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport	12:23 p.m.	7:55 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac	7:30 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Watertown, Beloit, Madison	8:25 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Madison & Elroy	6:30 a.m.	
Evansville Madison Elroy	10:50 a.m.	3:35 p.m.
La Crosse Winona & St. Paul	12:45 p.m.	12:05 p.m.
Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8:00 p.m.	12:05 p.m.
Evansville Madison St. Paul	9:30 p.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville Madison St. Paul	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	7:10 p.m.	12:50 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	7:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Milwaukee, Watertown	7:30 a.m.	
Waukesha and Chicago	10:05 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	4:40 p.m.	9:17 a.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	9:35 a.m.	4:10 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	11:37 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Beloit & La Crosse	11:30 a.m.	
Kansas City through train	12:30 p.m.	10:50 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport	11:33 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Keokuk, Elk Horn and Delavan	6:25 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	6:25 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
Monroe and Mineral	9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Point	6:10 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:15 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	10:30 a.m.	8:30 p.m.

*Daily except Sunday.

MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE

JANESVILLE MAIL.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west.....	9:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and North-west.....	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and North-west.....	9:40 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General.....	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison.....	6:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South.....	11:00 a.m.	
SUNDAY MAILS.....		
Chicago, East, South and North, North-west, Elgin.....	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
South-west.....	4:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY ONLY.....		
Chicago, East, West and South.....	7:00 a.m.	
STAGS MAIL.....		
Johnstown and Richmond.....	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Emerald Grove and Fairfield.....	11:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.

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FOR SALE.—My house, barn and four full lots on Hickory street, just off Fourth Avenue. I will sell at very reasonable figure. A beautiful home for some one.

H. F. BLISS.

Enquire at Gazette office.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABULES

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use. Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire meal, and should be kept for use in every family.

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ONE MINUTE COUGH CURE

cures quickly. That is what it was made for. Prompt, safe, sure, quick relief, quick cure. Pleasant to take. Children like it and adults like it. Mothers buy it for their children.

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are prepared to deliver all kinds of feed also

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Among the stores, accepting our coupons are:

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Coupon books may be had at our office—PALMER & BONESTEEL's drug store.

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WANTED.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean wiping rags at The Gazette press room.

WANTED—Two boarders, comfortably furnished front room near depot. 185 North Academy St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

FOR RENT—House

THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE.

THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis., as second-class matter.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1781—Robert Treat Paine, "signer," born in Boston; died there 1814.
1820—Benjamin West, American painter, died in London; born in Pennsylvania 1781. West was a member of the Society of Friends. He began to paint at 17 years of age and after studying in Rome went to London, where his work attracted the notice of King George III. He was an innovator, abolishing classic methods in robes and posing. In 1792 he succeeded Joshua Reynolds as president of the Royal academy.
1874—Charles Sumner, statesman, died in Washington city; born in Boston 1811.
1895—Worth, the world famous dressmaker of Paris, died; born 1816.

Rock County Republican Convention

A Republican County Convention is hereby called at the court house, in the city of Janesville on Friday, March 13, 1896, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention, to be held in Milwaukee, March 18, 1896.

This Rock county convention will elect delegates also to the congressional district convention when called, and transact such other business as proper for this convention.

The different towns and wards of Rock county will be entitled to delegates as follows: Towns of Avon, Beloit, Bradford, Harmony, Janesville, Johnson, La Prairie, Porter, two each; Center, Clinton, Lima, Magnolia, Plymouth, Porter, Turin, Union, Clinton village, Fifth ward of Janesville, three each; Fulton, Newark, Spring Valley, First ward city of Beloit, Edgerton, four each; Second ward city of Beloit, Second and Fourth wards city of Janesville, five each; Evansville, Third and Fourth wards, city of Beloit, six each; First and Third wards city of Janesville, seven each; Milton, eight. By order County Republican Committee. W. T. VANKIRK, Chairman.

Dated Janesville, Feb. 7, 1896.

Janesville City Caucuses.

Caucuses are hereby called to meet in the several wards of the city of Janesville on the evening of Thursday, March 12th, to appoint delegates to the Rock county republican convention to be held at the court house in the city of Janesville on Friday, March 13th. The different wards are entitled to delegates as follows: First ward, 7; Second ward, 5; Third ward, 7; Fourth ward, 5; Fifth ward, 3.

The places for holding caucuses are as follows:

First Ward—West side engine house.
Second Ward—East side engine house.
Third Ward—Court house.
Fourth Ward—Council chamber.
Fifth Ward—Polling Booth.

E. B. HEIMSTREET,
Chairman City Committee.

Dated, March 2, 1896.

NOW SETTLE IT UP.

The supreme court decision on the water case illustrates the fact that courts are not overturning titles or ousting owners without very good cause. The same declaration has been made in two or three cases in Rock county courts and the supreme court's ruling has greater local interest in consequence.

There seems to be little doubt that proceedings to annul the franchise of the company are at an end. The court seems to hold in substance that the city delayed asking for an accounting too long to be justified in having the franchise set aside on that ground.

The city has lost none of its rights by its appeal to the supreme court, but it has been warned not to seek too much. It should be possible, now that the line of procedure has been marked out, for representatives of the city and of the company to meet and settle the controversy with very little delay.

BRIGHT FOR MCKINLEY.

"First ballot" candidates do not always win. Present indications, are that McKinley will be stronger in the convention of 1896 than Blaine was at the outset in that of 1876, and much stronger than Seward was in 1860. On the first ballot Blaine lacked ninety-three votes that year of the number required to nominate. With some fluctuations, he increased his vote to the end, but on the last ballot, when all the aspirants had dropped out except Hayes, who won, and Bristow, Blaine was twenty-eight votes short of the number needed. Conservative estimates at present put McKinley on the first ballot only forty or fifty short of the required number. With that narrow margin between him and victory it would be impossible for his enemies to unite on anybody to defeat him. McKinley is the second choice of so many men who have various other aspirants for a first choice that enough votes could not be concentrated against him to carry the convention. It is entirely safe to predict that if Mr. McKinley comes within less than seventy five votes of the nomination on the first ballot a stampede to him on the second ballot can not be prevented.

CHOOSING A CHAIRMAN.

W. D. Hoard offers two arguments for the appointment of a state central committee chairman by the committee instead of by the convention. He argues that the present system makes a nonentity of the committee when they should be the ore really live working political force of the party. Moreover, it takes away from the chairman all sense of close practical responsibility for his action or lack of action, his only master being the convention which, by adjourning *sine die*, has gone out of existence.

He overlooks the other danger that a chairman chosen by a small committee is more likely to become a tool of party bosses. This evil is seen now and then under the present system, but under the "election by committee" plan it could hardly fail to be serious.

California is for gold in business, though most of its congressmen favor

free silver. All legal blanks relating to loans are printed in California with a clause calling for payment "in United States gold coin." But it wants to fix up free silver for all the other fellows.

Massachusetts needn't be ashamed of a statue to General Butler. General Butler had several regiments of Massachusetts troops ready to move when Sumter was fired on, and he deserves a monument for that, if nothing else.

There will be a great deal of balloting in republican conventions this year, as a nomination will be equivalent to an election in a large majority of cases.

The Entire Week

The special sale of groceries that we commenced Saturday and continued today has been so popular that we have decided to run it the entire week.

Northern Dairy butter..... 17c
Buckwheat, per sack..... 20c
Graham, per sack..... 15c
Cornmeal, per sack..... 15c
12 pounds oatmeal for..... 25c
5 packages cornstarch..... 25c
1 lb. packages bird seed..... 25c
7 sacks table salt..... 25c
2 pounds full cream cheese..... 25c
4 bottles catsup..... 25c
4 cans best corn..... 25c
3 cans best tomatoes..... 25c
3 cans best pumpkin..... 25c
Gallon-can apples..... 25c
Strictly fresh eggs no cold storage in them, per dozen..... 12 1/2c
3 pounds cod fish..... 25c
Pickles per gallon..... 40c
Dr. Prices Baking powder per lb..... 20c
Good baking powder..... 15c
Fancy 300 sizes lemons per doz..... 15c
Pure maple sugar per lb..... 10c
Nice dates per pound..... 06c
1,750 matches..... 15c
7 bars Kirk's soap..... 25c
3 1/2 lbs. lard..... 25c
Dried peaches, 10 cents per lb., 3 1/2 pounds..... 25c
California prunes, 10 cents per lb; 3 1/2 lbs..... 25c
Nolan Bros. Telephone 172, next Grand Hotel.
Good syrup, per gallon..... 15c
Choice syrups, per gallon..... 25c

George E. Keith.

Without fear of contradiction, Mr. Keith is the leader in the manufacture of men's fine shoes. His goods enjoy a popularity that is almost unparalleled in the history of fine shoe making. Brown Bros. & Lincoln, the Bride shoe house, have this most excellent line of goods. The prices are within reach of the masses, and the styles are not to be excelled. Be sure you get in the right store, and get the Keith shoe.

Sloppy Weather

Or cold dry weather is a question, these days. Wednesday is cold and dry; Thursday may be sloppy and wet. Your feet suffer from want of proper over covering, therefore health is endangered. The rubbers we have are for this weather exactly, and you can get a good pair cheap. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

Ingrain Carpets.

Twenty-five new patterns of all-wool ingrain carpets of the celebrated Lowell make, just received. We sell them at the same price as inferior makes are sold for. If you would have a carpet that will wear well and not fade, get the Lowell. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Kicking Himself.

Many a man has felt like kicking himself after buying an old style shoe. Before you buy take a look along the street, find out the latest, get the best. We are out for a large slice of the spring trade and we hope to succeed. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

FIFTY pieces of soft Japanese silk for waists. They are very pretty and cost only 35, 40 and 50 cents. Bort, Bailey & Co.

CASH sales, reduced prices, at Lowell's, on the corner.

Say You Want

Shakespeare
Plus Tobacco
CHAMPAGNE FLAVOR
And Take No OTHER.

WE ARE IN IT!



With the finest line of—
New Hats ever shown in—
This city. Our line embraces—
Every style in both—
Soft and stiff.

We are agents for:

Knox,
Longley Lord,
A. Raymond & Hawes,
F. P. Heid & Co.

FROM ONE DOLLAR UP.

See the styles and get a correct one at, the pushers of novelties,

KNEFF & ALLEN.

A Rooster Crows for Fun,

but our customers crow because they know they are getting SUPERIOR GOODS for the prices. That is why we pause to remark, that if you are not with us you had better get on board. We know we have a little the best line of

Boots, Shoes and Rubber Goods

ever shown in the city. Have you seen

OUR LADIES' \$2.50 SPECIAL?

It is a world beater, made on the latest last, etc.

\$2.50 BUYS A GREAT MEN'S SHOE.

Our American cordovan. Lots of style and a great wearer. The gentlemen's shoes made on the Orient last are all marvels of beauty.



Spring Goods

have already commenced to arrive and we can safely say we will have a little the finest and most handsome lines of Ladies', gent's and misses' shoes ever shown in the city.

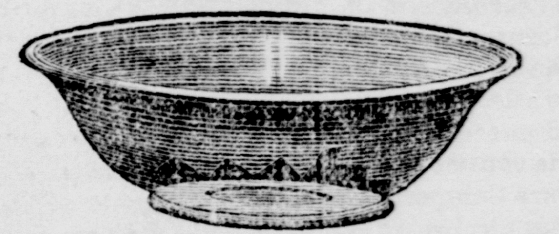
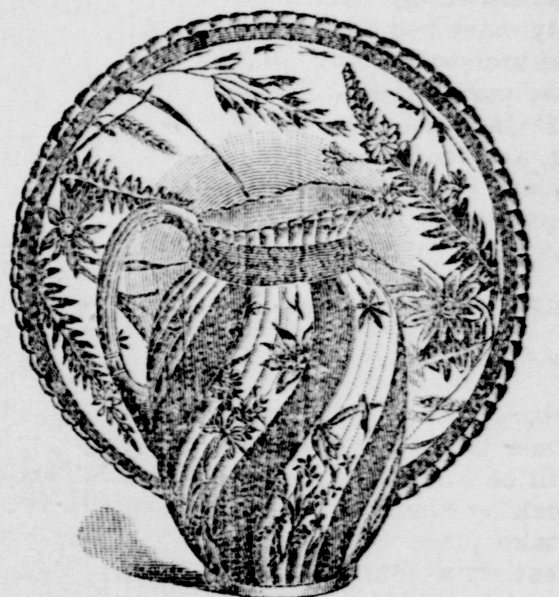
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LOWELL'S Cash Store, On the Corner.

SPECIAL SALE CROCKERY!

100-piece Dinner Set, former price \$8.75, now \$6.95
100-piece Dinner Set, former price \$9.85, now \$7.95
Chamber Sets - \$1.69
6 Cups and Saucers - .34
6 Soup Plates - .29
Fancy Cuspidores - .06
Bed Pans - .34
Fancy Plates formerly 30c, now .19
Fancy Plates formerly 15c, now .08
Glass Water Sets formerly 75c, now .27
China Molasses Cups - .19
Chelsea China Bakers, 6c to .22
Fine Glass Tumblers - .02



LOWELL'S CASH STORE, ON THE CORNER.

DINING CAR CREW DIDN'T COME BACK

CONDUCTOR GIBERT IN CHARGE
LAST NIGHT.

All the Colored Waiters Were Succeeded By White Men But the Cook Was Spared—Snow Storm Delayed Trains—Other Railroad News Notes.

When you work for a railroad company you never know whether you have a job or not.

The crew on the dining car that is attached to the vestibule at 6:30 in the morning can bear witness to this fact. When the "limited" reached Janesville on the return trip last night, a new crew was in charge. Conductor Gilbert was in Charge. Borbeck's accustomed place, and the waiters, whose ebullient faces had been wreathed in smiles when they got an extra quarter, were missing. The places of the colored men were filled by white men, and the only member of the old crew on the car was the colored cook, who, with his white cap and apron could still be seen in the kitchen.

Just what was the cause of the change is not known, and whether or not the old crew had been discharged, was also a matter of which dependent on the conductor. Conductor Borbeck, who makes the Hotel Myers his headquarters, did not show up last night, and therefore could not be seen.

Snow Made Trains Late.

Last night's snow storm made some trouble for the railroad men. The snow was just the right consistency to interfere with trains, as it would pack hard under weight. Chicago papers did not get in at the usual time this morning, or the "paper train," due here at 6:30 a. m., was twenty minutes behind hand, owing to the storm. The vestibule from the north was also delayed, and pulled into Janesville some minutes behind time.

On the St. Paul road the passenger trains were mostly on time, although there was considerable trouble experienced further west on the division. Towards noon, however, the sun came out, the snow began to melt, and the trouble was a thing of the past. Freight trains were, of course, affected more than the passenger service; but the delays were not long in any case.

Other Railroad Gossip.

G. W. Guld, traveling engineer of the "Soo" road, passed through Janesville today in charge of an immense new engine for that company.

Agent Hinrich of the St. Paul road, says that boys must stop jumping on and off the cars. He will get the names of all offenders, and give them to the police.

The St. Paul company sold twelve round trip tickets to southern points today. Rock County people who took advantage of homeseekers rates were the purchasers.

The Janesville Machine Company shipped five cars of machinery west over the C. & N. W. road yesterday.

A special C. & N. W. train rolled into Janesville yesterday. It consisted of a coach and a business car and aboard it were W. A. Gardner, superintendent of this division, R. A. Cowan, superintendent of the Madison division and E. D. Brigham, assistant general freight agent.

ACCEPTED F. H. KEMP'S PLANS

The Well Known Janesville Architect's Work Pleased Delavan People.

Plans as drawn by Architect Kemp, of this city, have been accepted by the Catholic church society of Delavan, for their new parsonage. Rev. J. G. Smith, of Delavan, was in the city yesterday, and informed Mr. Kemp that the plans had been accepted, and the new parsonage will be built this summer at a cost of \$3,500.

SELL OUT THE GLASS GALLERY

Sheriff Appleby Will Dispose of the Property.

The fixtures and supplies belonging to the former C. F. Glass photograph gallery will be sold tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock by Sheriff Appleby. The sale will take place in the old rink and is to satisfy a mortgage held by W. T. Vankirk.

TOOK VOWS AT CUPID'S ALTAR

Hanson-Bunt.

Charles L. Hanson, captain of the Janesville Light Infantry and also of the Boys' Brigade of the Presbyterian church, and Miss Elizabeth Bunt, one of Janesville's popular young ladies, were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bunt, last evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. E. H. Pence, in the presence of the immediate relatives only. Neither bride nor groom need an introduction to Janesville people. The former is a young lady whose widespread popularity is the result of the possession of many good qualities, while the groom is a trustworthy and energetic young business man. He is connected with the Hanson Furniture Company, and prominent in militia circles, having worked his way up from the ranks of Company A. to the high station of captain. Well wishes are now in order.

For Sale.

The O. C. Ford residence, No. 5, Jackson street. House contains all modern improvements. Will be sold low. Terms easy. J. B. Minor on the bridge.

When calling for a cigar, always ask for the Lyonettes or they will give you a cheap, inferior article.

ECHOS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

The "Lyonettes" cigars are union made.

JANESVILLE Chapter, O. E. S. meets tonight.

Two Indian musicians were about town today.

B. R. Hilt is much better and is again on duty.

Sold on its merits—The "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

R. M. Bostwick's sweaters have always been leaders.

The Lyonettes will soon be found in all first class places.

WISCONSIN Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F. meets this evening.

The Woodmen will dance tomorrow evening at Columbia hall.

F. A. TAYLOR has a change of advertisement this evening.

PAINTERS are at work improving the interior of the Grand hotel.

SALZER's seed car was in the city on its way to Edgerton today.

R. M. BOSTWICK has the finest line of spring goods in the city.

FRED C. McLEAN attended the Chicago dog show yesterday.

The key to our success lies in our prices. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE Married Folks Dancing club met at Columbia hall last night.

SLOPPY weather rubbers, large line of them. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

JUDGE BENNETT finished hearing the jury cases at Monroe last evening.

Mrs. C. P. McLEAN left this morning for a visit with Chicago friends.

"Eight Bells" will be seen at the Myers Grand next Wednesday evening.

A word to the wise is sufficient. Smoke Lyonettes. They are the best.

FIRST class, warranted bicycles at Lowell's Cash Store. \$43 worth \$60.

HON. S. W. GRAVES of Rutland, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. L. C. Brewer.

THE Boot and Shoe Workers Union will give a dance in Concordia hall, March 17.

M. S. TAYLOR is advance agent for the Primrose & West. Consult him for particulars.

BEAR in mind the boot and shoe workers' union dance at Concordia hall, March 17.

THE Relay bicycle will almost run away from you; it slips along so easily. F. A. Taylor.

THE bearings on the Relay are built on scientific principles all the way through. F. A. Taylor.

If you need a well heavy-weight coat go to Bostwick's and get one at the price that will astonish you.

THE delegates who attended the Congregational council yesterday afternoon returned home last evening.

TAKE good care of the feet this changeable weather. We can prescribe for your case. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

WANTED.—A bookkeeper who thoroughly understands the business. Address, Thursday and Friday only, D. care Gazette.

R. M. BOSTWICK's spring goods are the finest that can be turned out. They are manufactured by Spitz Bros. & Mark of Boston.

ROBERT Emmett council National Alliance will meet this evening at Columbia hall, and Secretary E. H. Ryan requests a full attendance.

GEORGE D. CHARLTON's house was damaged to the extent of \$10 last night by a fire that caught from a gas jet. An alarm was sent in from box 421.

CHENEY Brothers' celebrated silk, 25 pieces of beautiful Persian and printed warp effects to select from only 75 cents to \$1.25 per yard. Bort, Bailey & Co.

TWENTY-FIVE patterns of the celebrated Lowell carpets, ingrain, the kind that wear better than inferior grades, just received. Bort, Bailey & Company.

The remains of Elias Fockler will be taken at noon tomorrow to the town of Center, where the interment will take place, Rev. Mr. Spencer to officiate.

Mrs. L. A. TORRENS left this morning for Rockford, where she will hear the great soprano, Miss Lillian Blauvelt, at a concert to be given by the Mendelssohn club.

CHIEF ENGINEER SPENCER requests that persons pulling fire alarm boxes remain at the box until the department comes, unless the fire is blazing up so that it can be seen by the firemen.

THE "Hard Times" social at All Souls church last night was a very enjoyable affair. Those who took part in the program were Misses Retta Kimball, May Treat, Rose Spivak and Mabel Greenman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helms and Miss Myrtle Williams.

MISS ALICE LITTLE, who is visiting in this city received news yesterday of the serious illness of her uncle, William A. Pidgin, business manager of the Lewiston Journal. Miss Little's mother and sister have been called to Maine on account of Mr. Pidgin's illness.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bower City Bank was held at the municipal court room last night and directors were named as follows: Fenner Kimball, James Shearer, J. W. Sale, William G. Heller, I. C. Brownell, George G. Sutherland and A. E. Bingham.

The Hotel Myers has changed hands. E. D. Miller selling out to F. J. Shors, of Chicago for \$15,000. The change was announced in The Gazette last Monday, and the terms of the transfer were the same as then stated. Mr. Miller returned from Chicago last night and made the formal announcement of the transfer.

NEW NAMES PUT ON THE Y. M. C. A. ROLL

GROWTH OF THE ASSOCIATION
IS SURPRISING.

Over Four Hundred Members Are Now On the List—Those Who Joined Recently—Many Cities Ask For Help—Gossip From the New Building.

The membership list in the Y. M. C. A. keeps on growing day by day and the steady addition of names to the list is a surprise even to the local managers. The membership now includes over four hundred people. Among those who have lately joined are:

Edwin Fifield, William Bladen, G. C. Barker, H. L. Brown, L. C. Austin, A. B. Anderson, G. L. Ewens, E. H. Peterson, W. H. Walker, R. E. Burdick, E. V. Whitton, L. C. Nelson, L. M. Berrell, F. H. Palmer, W. S. Harvey, T. W. Hagar, C. H. Reynolds, M. G. Green, R. J. Bear, Chester Brewer, F. F. Dunwiddie, Clarence Hemmens, A. W. Austin, E. Ray Inman, H. M. Johnson, H. L. Knowles, T. J. Smith, John Cunningham, W. B. Stevant, J. G. DeLong, E. W. Becker, W. Stedman, H. J. Casey, C. B. Smith, T. Hanson, F. H. Jackson, E. J. Green, M. G. Green, R. J. Bear, John Thoroughgood.

Many Cities Want Help.

During the present week numerous letters have been received by Secretary J. C. Kline, asking the local organizers to come to neighboring towns for the purpose of organizing associations. This week letters have been received from Monroe, Lancaster, Fort Atkinson and Mineral Point, asking for the help of the local men. Secretary Kline hopes to answer all the calls before many days, for all of the cities are included in what is known as the second or Janesville district.

The attendance in the gymnasium during the month of February was 1613. The first week 369 were present; 364 the second; 418 the third, and 462 the fourth, which is considered by the management as an extra good showing.

Other Association Notes.

The new lockers in the basement were being numbered today and one hundred and four different keys have been ordered, so that each individual will have his own key, and all locks will be different.

A. F. HALL & Co., "the reliable jewelers," have donated a handsome clock to the association, which will soon adorn the reception room.

In the basketball game last evening Captain R. J. Hart's team defeated Captain G. H. Williamson's men, the score being 4 to 2.

ONE of the largest classes ever in the "gym" constituted the young men's class Monday evening. It numbered fifty-one members.

FOURTEEN members constituted the business men's class last evening.

BIRTHDAY PLEASANTLY MARKED.

Charles E. Herrmann's Second Ward Home The Scene of Gaiety.

Charles E. Herrmann so far forgot his duty as a patriotic German as to be born March 17. His friends made up their minds that while they might pardon his unpatriotic choice of a day they could not indorse it, so they celebrated his birthday last night. Forty of them took possession of his home on Yuba street, opened up a lot of folding card tables, unloaded a wagon full of chairs, and turned the house into a union meeting of the Concordia society and Bower City Verein Germania Gesellschaft. Mr. Herrmann is president of the Bower City Verein and secretary of the Concordia society, this being his third term in the latter office. A quartette from the Concordia society furnished the music for the evening and there were recitations by several in the company. A handsome writing desk was presented to Mr. Herrmann before the evening was over. Those present were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—Theo. Berger, Leo Koester, Herman Buchholz, C. Brockhouse, Frank Albrecht, L. F. Knipp, Will Richter, Joseph Kaiser, Will Rehfeld, Herman Mattick, Al. Grampe, W. Berger, Will Keimow, John Lempe, Will Funk, Will Ernst, Will Berger, Charles Wisch, Al. Rissmann.

Misses—Martha Grampe, Lizzie Berger, Theresa Rissmann.

JANESVILLE DOGS AT CHICAGO.

C. C. McLean Has Some Canines At The Big Show.

Janesville is represented at the great Chicago dog show by C. C. McLean, who is exhibiting his celebrated dogs. This year he took with him but two dogs, a terrier and a Scotch collie. There are 929 dogs on exhibition in all.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

AN easy way of saving money is by purchasing goods at Lowell's cash store on the corner.

THE funeral of Henry Gardner will be held tomorrow from the home in Magnolia, and the interment will take place in the Center cemetery.

THE funeral of Mrs. George R. Paek will be held on Friday, at 10 a. m., at 65 Bellevue avenue, Chicago. Rev. Hillis, of Chicago, will officiate, and the interment will be in that city.

Love at first sight never occurs more genuinely than in meeting of the feminine fair with our line of ladies' shoe. We truly have the banner line, and more than that they are new goods. Come to us before making your selection. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

M. J. SULLIVAN was in Darlington today.

J. KNIGHT of Whitewater, was in the city today.

WILLIAM CUMMINGS of Horicon, was in the city today.

Mrs. M. PAUL spent the day with Edgerton friends.

WILLIAM MENZIES spent the day in Milton Junction.

JOE LOEB will leave in the morning for Chicago on business.

CONTRACTOR G. P. Billings returned to Albany this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Jackson left this morning for Chicago.

JUDGE and Mrs. Clappitt spent the day with Delavan friends.

R. B. CRAIG, of Rockford, was registered today at the Grand.

Mrs. C. D. STEVENS spent the day the guest of Beloit friends.

J. H. GATELEY has returned from a business trip to Milwaukee.

HARRY ROBINSON is home from a visit with Milwaukee friends.

W. H. DICK, of New London, registered at the Myers over night.

E. D. MCGOWAN returned this morning from a legal trip to Monroe.

O. L. TAYLOR, of Winona, inspected the Y. M. C. A. building today.

Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Loomis left yesterday for a trip to Jacksonville, Fla.

MISS LUELLA BRISTOL has left for a two weeks' visit with Chicago friends.

N. O. PETTIT of Fort Atkinson, transacted business in the city today.

HON. and Mrs. Fenner Kimball left this morning on an extended trip south.

Mrs. WILLIAM ATKINSON, of Gathenburg, Neb., visited Janesville friends today.

THOMAS H. EUSTACE, a well known Rockford citizen, greeted local friends today.

REV. J. J. COLLINS returned this morning from a visit with Gratiot friends.

GEORGE KRAFT, a well known Madison plumber, greeted friends in the city today.

C. H. AND F. J. Bailey, who have been in the south, are expected home this week.

J. M. THAYER visited Edgerton today where he received seventy-five cases of tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Gennes of Rochelle, were today the guests of Janesville friends.

VOLNEY COOPER, representing Swift & Company of Chicago, was today among the butchers.

Mrs. H. O. WEE, formerly of this city, but now of Orford, is reported as being dangerously ill.

LOUIS CONGER spent the day in Fort Atkinson in the interest of the Continental Clothing house.

ROBERT LEITZ, of Oshkosh, a well known conductor on the Northwestern road was in the city today.

FRED ISAACSON, of Chicago, called on the local butchers today in the interest of Nelson, Morris & Company.

Mrs. J. K. HALLOWELL, of Chicago, is in the city, being called here by the death of her father, the late Elias Fockler.

PETER REISS of Sheboygan, and one of the proprietors of the Janesville Coal company, was in the city today on business.

Mrs. MARY FOCKLER arrived in the city this morning from South Dakota, being called here by the death of Elias Fockler.

E. B. JOHNSON, of 56 Oakland avenue, emigrant agent for the L. & N. R. R., started with a party for Alabama today.

P. D. SCOFIELD, who has been visiting in the city the guest of Nathan Dearborn, returned this morning to his home in Des Moines, Ia.

NEW NECKWEAR.

We will be pleased to show you a very

sightly line of

Soft, Stiff and

Fedora Hats,

including a full

line of J. B. Stetson & Co's. make,

18 styles of this

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Before deciding upon your

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\$75, \$50, \$40.

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SCHOOLS INSPECTED BY MR. WILLIAMS

THE FACTORY INSPECTOR WAS
HERE TODAY.

All of Janesville's Educational Institutions Were Looked Over This Morning, Special Attention Being Paid to the Exits and Means of Escape In Case of Fire.

Janesville public schools were looked over by an eagle eyed representative of the government of the state this morning.

Factory Inspector Williams was the official who made the examination and he paid special attention to the location and the character of the exits, the direction in which the doors swing, and in general, the means of escape in case of fire. The state law lays down the condition under which fire escapes must be built and provides that all exit doors shall swing outward. Mr. Williams did his work carefully, paying especial attention to the ward schools. It is not thought that an improvement can be suggested at the New high school, and all the ward buildings comply with the law, it is said. After visiting the schools, Mr. Williams interviewed Chief Spencer, of the fire department, and this afternoon he took a trip about town accompanied by City Engineer Bleodorn.

MISS AGNES WELCH SURPRISED Friends Took Possession of Her Western Avenue Home.

A number of friends of Agnes Welch surprised her at her home, 107 Western avenue. Refreshments were served, and the guests departed at a late hour. Those present were:

Misses—Marie Hagan, Katie Watson, Laura Schaller, Maggie Kelly, Edna Dohony, Frank Hagan, John Sweeney, John Dulin.

Shoe Shop

We have in connection with our store a first class repairing shop. We are prepared to do your work quickly and at right prices. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

After examining samples of the leading brands of baking powder I have arrived at the conclusion that the Royal is superior in purity, leavening power and keeping qualities. It is a cream of tartar powder, entirely free from alum, lime, ammonia, and all deleterious ingredients. GEORGE S. COX, Wisconsin State Chemist

DR. H. J. WARDLAW, DENTIST.

Graduate Pennsylvania Dental College, Philadelphia Rooms over De Hise Store.

JANESVILLE, WIS.

R. R. POWELL, DENTIST.

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store. Hours: 9 to 12 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m. Janesville, Wis. West Milwaukee street.

No wheels run so smoothly as the

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And no other is so perfectly adapted for use by women.

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King Richard strode upon the stage,

And yelled in accents coarse,

While every feature worked with rage,

"My kingdom for a horse!"

And as he fiercely waved his sword

And hacked the air in two,

A voice up in the gallery roared,

"Say, wouldn't a safety door?"

The Fowler

is one of the best safeties. It is beautifully finished throughout and will outlast a dozen cheap wheels. Leave your order now.

THE FRAME TELLS THE NAME.

SMITH'S PHARMACY.

Bower City Bank,

JANESVILLE, WIS.

His Changed View.
Mrs. Mann—Charles, will you have time to-day to see about getting some butter?
Mr. Mann—Really, don't see how I can; I've got so much to do to-day, you know.
Mrs. Mann—Oh, very well, I suppose I can go myself. And by the way, if I am to go down town you may as well give me ten dollars or so. I may as well do a little shopping while I am about it.
Mr. Mann—Come to think of it, I shan't be very busy to-day. I'll see about the butter.—Boston Transcript.

Changing Her Tune.
"How is Miss Strongmind comin on? I don't hear of her advocating woman's rights any more."
"She has quit woman's rights business and taken up with woman's lefts."
"What the mischief is a woman's left?"
"Women's lefts are widowers. She has married a widower."—Texas Siftings.

The Turkey.
Although you are this time of year the theme of many a toast
From lips of those who love you dear,
You also get a roast.
—Judge.

REASSURING.



Old Lady (who has just bought a pint of chestnuts)—There are no worms in these chestnuts, are there?

Boy—Yes'm; but if you take off yer glasses while you're eatin 'em you can't tell th' difference; th' worms taste th' same as th' chestnuts, ma'am.—Judge.

Smiled the Wrong Way.

Cholly Swagger—I proposed to Miss Coldeat last night.

Dicky Dumley—Did she smile upon your suit?

Cholly Swagger—She did, indeed. She said she could never marry a man who wore such loud clothes as I did.—N. Y. Herald.

Useless Regret.

Jones—Well, there's a concern I know, failed for a million.

Smith—Didn't owe you anything, I hope.

Jones—No; but I had a chance 15 years ago to go into that concern. However, there is no one to blame but myself.—Bay City Chat.

His Mistake.

"Are they perennial bloomers?" he asked of the pretty florist, as he selected some flowering plants.

"Sir!" she said, indignantly, "this is no bicycle shop!" And it took him some time to explain matters.—Detroit Free Press.

Proof Positive.

"You love another, Jack."

"How can you talk that way, dearest? I've kissed you 30 times in the last two minutes."

"But if you loved me you wouldn't keep count."—Life.

A Drug in the Market.

Alice—I take his professions of attachment for just what they are worth.

Edith—They are so plentiful that I should think he would be glad to dispose of them at half price.—Bay City Chat.

His View.

First Bicyclist—I see that in some states they talk of taxing wheelmen.

Second Bicyclist—They do, eh? Another case of discrimination against the masses for the benefit of a favored few who don't ride.—Puck.

An Effective Alibi.

Eastern Visitor—How was it that you did not hang that last murderer? Did he establish an alibi?

Quick Drop Dan—That's just what he did. When the sheriff went to the jail to hang him, he wasn't there.—Puck.

Careful Bookkeeping.

Nursery Maid (to banker)—Oh, dear! oh, dear! our little Alfons has gone and swallowed a ten-mark piece!

Banker (to bookkeeper)—Meier, enter ten marks to the debit of the profit and loss account.—Daheim.

Not That Kind.

She—You know you would be just as happy if you didn't kiss me.

He—But do you suppose I am selfish enough to think only of myself?—Puck.

Wings or Sleeves?

Henpeck—I dreamed of Heaven last night.

Mrs. Henpeck—What was it like?

Henpeck—I couldn't tell. You were in front of me.—Syracuse Post.

One in a Thousand.

Higbee—Miss Patterson has one trait that I greatly admire.

Maek—What is that?

Higbee—She knows she can't sing and won't try.—Town Topics.

Mean Way of Putting It.

Ethel—I believe firmly in having out one's "beauty sleep."

Mabel—Poor girl, how you must suffer from insomnia!—Chicago Record.

Her Honest Opinion.

"Mamma," observed Edith, complacently observing herself in the mirror, "how much prettier God makes folks now than he used to."—Judge.

Naturally.

Doctor—How did the child sleep?

Mother—With her eyes closed.—Truth.

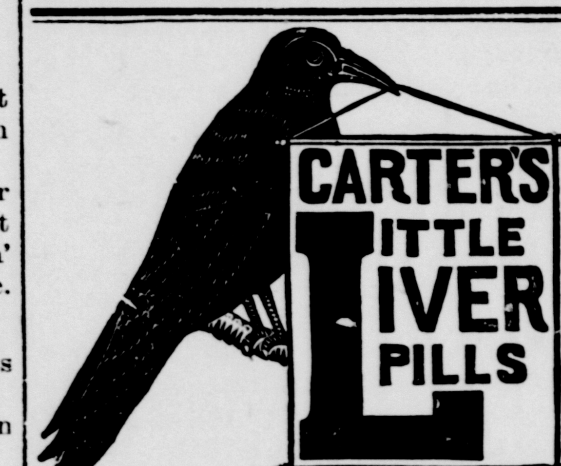
New Issue of Home Seekers' Excursions
On March 10, April 7 and 21, and May 5, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell round trip excursion tickets at half fare to points on its own lines in Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota; and to points in northern Wisconsin and northern Michigan. Also, to points on other lines in Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Oklahoma.

Sweet Moments cigarettes are made of finest Virginia and Turkish tobacco.
J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used one minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself. C. D. Stevens.

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Via the Beaver Line from Montreal-Quebec to Liverpool, or via any steamship line crossing the Atlantic, at lowest rates for first cabin, second cabin and steerage, both outward and prepaid, apply to P. L. Hinrichs, agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., at Janesville, Wis., or address C. F. Wenham, Gen'l Steamship Agent, 48 Adams St., Chicago Ill.

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Three little tablets, each a separate prescription that together will cure a cold in one night. "Cold Crackers" are for sale at all druggists. Perfectly harmless. Certain to cure.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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MEN'S AND LADIES' SHOES!

have arrived in all the popular lasts and colors. We challenge competition and invite comparison on these lines.

DON'T FORGET OUR LINE OF

LADIES' BEST RUBBERS AT 33c

Storms, same grade at 43 cents.

BE SURE YOU GET IN THE RIGHT STORE.

BROWN BROTHERS & LINCOLN.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR!

Wednesday, March 11th.

Muslin Underwear such as we handle is very satisfactory to the women folks, and for this annual spring sale we have secured the complete sample line made by the Standard Manufacturing Co., of Jackson, Mich., which is the same line we have offered at former sales. This concern is known to the trade as America's largest converters of cotton fabrics, and the garments which they produce are designed for the finest retail trade.

**THE LINE CONSISTS OF
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Covers, Chemise, Drawers,

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And next Wednesday you can find them on sale at a saving of half. Three Special Counters, selected from all the lines,---

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**Save
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You can do that with us this season. We have just received a line of spring goods, that cannot be beaten. They are manufactured by Spitz Bros., & Mark, one of the leading clothing houses of Boston, and are the neatest and nicest line of goods you could ask to see. Our prices are going to save everyone of our customers money. We are looking for business on the theory that

Close Profits

Goods were never so cheap as now.

Makes Lots

Come in and we will give you the benefit of close buying, and

Of buyers.

save you money. We have a number of heavy weight suits and Overcoats, that will pay you to look at.

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Finest line of sweaters in the city, ranging in price from one to four dollars. Come in and

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Have you got to have one? We can show you 25 new patterns of the celebrated "Lowell" make, at the same price as you will pay at other stores for inferior makes. If you want a carpet that will wear and not fade, buy a "Lowell".

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